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## At the 'Ville.

C. A. Eaton of Boston is spending the Christmas holidays with his sister, Mrs. G. M. Campbell, and other relatives.

At the basket ball game Wednesday evening the St. Johnsbury team defeated the village players 27 to 18. The game was a very rough one and attended by very ungentlemanly conduct, on the part of both players and spectators. In fact, those who attended were disgusted with the "rough house" playing and hope future games will be differently conducted.

The graded school closed Friday for a two weeks vacation. The out of town teachers have gone to their respective homes. Miss Cady's room had a Christmas tree Friday afternoon for the second and fourth grades, to which the fifth and sixth grades were invited. Principal and Mrs. Jamieson gave a Christmas party at the schoolhouse Friday evening for the eighth and ninth grades which was much enjoyed. Mr. Jamieson's pupils presented him with a nice clock.

The Institute closes today for the Christmas vacation. Both schools will reopen on Jan. 4.

The chicken pie supper given Friday afternoon by the ladies of the Congregational society was well attended, an elegant supper being served.

Mrs. H. O. Allen opened a domestic food parlor in the basement of the Central boarding house, Tuesday, Dec. 22.

Mrs. J. T. Gleason, who has been in very poor health for some time, is very much improved.

The funeral of Jason Webster was held at the home of his brother, John Webster, last week Wednesday. He was 92 years old and died of heart disease at Brightlook hospital, where he had been for treatment. He was unmarried and had made his home with his brother, John Webster, for several years.

Mrs. Elisha Bigelow entertained the Christmas club very pleasantly Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. L. Powers has been reappointed chairman of the Education committee of the State Federation of Women's clubs, and Miss Alice Vail a member of the art committee.

Miss Josephine Watson has been visiting her friend, Mrs. Harry White, at Fitch Bay, P. Q., also her sister, Mrs. John Merrill, at Newport.

Mrs. Brainerd and Mrs. H. E. Folsom were in Boston last week.

Lem Hyde has gone to Springfield, Mass., to work and Mrs. Hyde is stopping with her parents at East Burke.

Mrs. Rufus Aldrich has not been as well of late and is now under the care of a trained nurse.

Harold McGinnis is at home from West Burke, ill with typhoid fever. His brother Arthur is stopping at home and helping take care of him.

Joseph Schofield was taken quite ill while at Sherbrooke last week, but is now better.

Sherman Huntley has gone to St. Augustine, Florida, to work in a hotel.

Mrs. W. S. Jeffers has been visiting her sister in Middleboro, Mass., and friends in Boston.

Mrs. Norman McDonald and daughter, Corilla, of Barton have been visiting Mrs. E. C. Frost for a few days.

## A Cough Medicine

**Ayer's Cherry Pectoral** is a cough medicine, a doctor's medicine. Good for easy coughs, hard coughs, deep-seated coughs. If your doctor tells you to take it, take it. If not, don't take it. Never go contrary to his advice.

We publish our formulae. We furnish a booklet from our medicine. We urge you to consult your doctor.

The dose of Ayer's Pills is small, only one at bedtime. As a rule, laxative doses are better than cathartic doses. For constipation, biliousness, dyspepsia, sick-headaches, they cannot be excelled. Ask your doctor about this.

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Mrs. Herbert Jackman spent last week in St. Johnsbury with her husband.

Henry Folsom who is attending college in Baltimore was a guest of Harry McDonald last Monday and Tuesday.

Izalea Sanborn of Whitefield, N. H., is the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Webb.

Mrs. George Morrill, who has been very ill the past two weeks, is gaining slowly.

Remember the Christmas tree at Smith's Hall Friday eve.

Harry Carr and George Craig drove over from St. Johnsbury and attended the old folks' dance at Music hall Friday evening.

### \$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### WEST BARNET.

Miss Attie Field of North Thetford is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Choate.

Miss Edith Bradley of Lyndonville is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. T. McPhee.

Ralph White of Hingham, N. Y., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Roy.

Henry Bailey is visiting his aunt, Mrs. A. D. Warden.

The Christmas tree and concert will be held in the village hall Thursday evening Dec. 24th.

Hoarse coughs and stuffy colds that may develop into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar, as it soothes inflamed membranes, heals the lungs, and expels the cold from the system. C. C. Bingham.

### CABOT.

(Intended for last week.)

Mr. and Mrs. George Gould entertained the finance committee of the E. and A. M., with their wives Saturday evening.

The school exhibition will be held at the Town hall Friday evening. The proceeds are to go towards purchasing a piano for the hall.

Mrs. May Burbank spent a few days with her sister at Barre last week.

George Witham of East Montpelier visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Witham, over Sunday.

New windows have been put into the schoolhouse at South West Hill.

Mrs. Ira Haines is very ill.

Eula Putnam came home from her school at East Woodbury Friday night, and went to Montpelier Saturday.

Mrs. Moses Haines visited her son Harlie at Greensboro last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Noyes have gone back to New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. John Noyes are spending a few weeks at their daughter's, Mrs. Alonzo Wheeler.

News has been received of the death of Leslie Austin at Manchester, N. H., last week. He was formerly of East Cabot.

### A Personal Appeal.

If we could talk to you personally about the great merit of Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs, colds and lung trouble, you never could be induced to experiment with unknown preparations that may contain some harmful drugs. Foley's Honey and Tar costs you no more and has a record of forty years of cures. C. C. Bingham.

### GRANBY.

Dora Willson is having a week's vacation from her school on Pond Hill and is spending it at home.

George Shores and his crew have gone to Victory Hill to commence a logging job.

Nettie Buzzell had the misfortune to lose her valuable horse the past week.

L. H. Willson came home last week so his father, who has been in poor health for some time, could go to Lancaster to spend a few days.

Cora Smith came home last Saturday to stay over Sunday.

The new cushions in the church are a great addition both in comfort and appearance.

The usual Christmas exercises with music and recitations by the children and young people followed by the distribution of presents from the Christmas tree.

### Guiltily of Counterfeiting.

Passing counterfeit money is no worse than substituting some unknown worthless remedy for Foley's Honey and Tar, the great cough and cold remedy that cures the most obstinate coughs and heals the lungs. C. C. Bingham.

### SOUTH WALDEN.

In the spelling school Monday night, Madeline Porter won in the first section with Edith M. Patterson, Leo C. Burbank, George A. Porter and Roy C. Goodenough in order, and in the second section Albert W. Stevens won with Maude M. Bergeron, Carroll F. Gile, H. Ruth Woods and Arthur J. Bergeron in order. In the general contest May L. Kay won with Harvey Burbank, Ray H. Norcross, Carroll F. Gile, and Kate A. Sanborn in order.

### GREENSBORO.

George Bell was in Springfield, Mass., on a visit last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Chase were in Hardwick Saturday.

Miss Lena Holmes was called to Boston, Saturday, to attend the funeral of her brother.

The box supper at the Town Hall, Friday evening, was well attended despite the bad weather, and a good time was enjoyed by all.

Albert Young has purchased W. A. Tate's farm for \$2500.

George Hazelton has an auction Wednesday to dispose of his personal property.

Miss Alice Payne has finished work at the post office for a few weeks and is visiting her sister in Craftsbury.

C. B. Cook was in St. Johnsbury on business, Thursday.

## Concord.

Mrs. Alson Currier is slowly improving.

Miss Geraldine Sampson, who teaches school in Victory, spent Sunday at A. J. Lyon's.

Mrs. Althea Morse spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Mamie Devonshire, at Lyndon Center.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stacy and Viola May will spend Christmas day with Mrs. Frank Carpenter at Miles Pond.

Mrs. Hattie Richards was called to Danville last week by the illness of her sister, Mrs. George Crane.

The body of Mrs. Thomas Nugent of Victory was brought here for burial, Thursday, and interred in the new part of the cemetery.

Miss Fannie Eastman is spending the Christmas recess at her home in Bradford.

Miss Lillian Virtue was called home last week by the illness of her sister, Edith, who is quite ill with pneumonia.

Guy Kellogg of St. Johnsbury spent part of last week at W. L. Reed's.

Mrs. Cora Bailey visited at Walter Kellogg's in St. Johnsbury last week.

The installation of Woodbury W. R. C. will be held January 5. Mrs. Nellie M. Smythe, department president, will be present and install the officers.

Mrs. W. L. Reed and Mrs. Helen Burroughs visited friends at St. Johnsbury recently.

Waterford Grange has entered the prize speaking contest so that there will be twelve speakers instead of nine as announced in last week's paper.

Miss Etta Harvey, who has spent the past three months in a millinery parlor in Concord, N. H., returned home last week after having spent a few days with Mrs. L. M. Moody in Rochester.

The children of the Methodist Sunday school will give their Christmas concert at the town hall Thursday evening and the Universalist Sunday school Friday evening.

Glenn Mooney of Johnson, N. H., Harold French of Boston, and Willard Brewer of Burlington, are spending the holidays with their parents.

Dr. G. B. French is home from Montpelier until after New Year's.

Rev. Mr. Walker of Whitefield will conduct a series of revival meetings at the Methodist church, beginning Sunday evening.

Mrs. Nellie Parris has spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. George Parris in Lebanon.

Mrs. Miranda Dodge recently entertained her brother, Mr. Wilder, and daughter, Mrs. Simpson, of Lyndon, and Mrs. George Dodge of East St. Johnsbury.

Charles May of Cohasset, Mass., is visiting at Harry Lillierap's.

Mrs. George Wheeler of Wells River was a recent guest of Mrs. Elwin Gray.

Mrs. Frank Carpenter of Miles Pond was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stacy, last week.

Walter May leaves the last of the week for Ottawa, Ontario, where he will visit his uncle, Sturgis Cushman, and also visit his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Cushman, at L'Orignal, Ontario, and will return to West Lebanon, Jan. 3.

William Fuller of Miles Pond will spend Christmas with his parents, at Claremont.

Purity, healthfulness, strength, deliciousness and economy in use are five points in favor of "Salada" Tea. Sold only in sealed lead packets. At all grocers.

### PASSUMPSIC.

Sam Herbert has had the misfortune to fall from a building at East Barnet and split a bone in his leg. He is recovering slowly.

Earl Dow is slowly recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Those who are home from school to spend the Christmas vacation are Misses Corolla Gilbert and Agnes Miles of Colby Academy, Misses Dollie M. Thynge and Lorraine Webster of Vermont Academy.

Remember the Christmas tree at the church Thursday evening. All come and bring your presents and share your good time with the rest.

### A Card.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25 cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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### NEWARK.

There will be a Christmas tree with exercises at the Union church Friday evening.

Mrs. C. T. Gray remains about the same.

Charles Brown of West Stewartstown, N. H., is visiting his sister, Mrs. George Chamberlin.

Supt. Daniels of Lyndonville was in town Friday visiting schools.

The snow rollers made their first trip Saturday.

Mrs. Moses Page is suffering from salt rheum and is unable to do her work.

More people are taking Foley's Kidney Remedy every year. It is considered to be the most effective remedy for kidney and bladder troubles that medical science can devise. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities, builds up worn out tissues and restores lost vitality. It will make you feel well and look well. C. C. Bingham.

### EAST RYEGATE.

Arthur Bodwell of Whittinsville, Mass., is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. George Gibson.

Marian and Letha Nelson are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Alva George, at Woodsboro.

Fire broke out in a closet of the tenement occupied by Jack Roberts last week Tuesday. It was soon put out, but quite a lot of damage was done by the water.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bedell returned from a trip to Boston and vicinity, Friday.

## PEACHAM.

Death of Mrs. Bailey.

Mrs. Emeline Hand Bailey died at her home on Tuesday, Dec. 15. She was the oldest person in town being 93 years and 11 months at the time of her death. She was the daughter of Ashbel Hand and Laura Hurd of Woodbury, Conn. She married in 1839 Frank Bailey of this town who died in 1864. Uniting with the Congregational church in this place in 1850, she was at the time of her death, the oldest member of the same. She was descended from Elias Hand and Capt. Nathan Hurd, both revolutionary soldiers. She leaves a sister, Miss Sarah A. Hand, and two daughters, Laura C. and Sara A. Bailey. Though quiet and retiring by nature she was a woman of strong convictions and great purity and integrity of character. Her death was the result of a fall four weeks before. Rev. J. K. Williams conducted the funeral services on Thursday and the Peacham male quartet sang.

Mrs. Ed. Somers at East Peacham is ill with tonsillitis and Mrs. Swanson is caring for her.

Miss Laura C. Bailey is ill with grip.

Mrs. Laura Palmer has gone to Boston for the holidays.

Carol Blanchard from Northfield, Mass., is home for the Christmas vacation.

Miss Elsie Choate returned Saturday from Bridgewater, Conn.

Peacham Academy closed Dec. 18 for two weeks' vacation.

Col. George Harvey of New York has sent to Peacham library 700 books. A fine example to emulate.

At Kimball's Hall Friday evening two interesting games of basket ball were played. The first team of Peacham Academy met a team from Hardwick and were defeated 16 to 9. The line up follows:

HARDWICK.	PEACHAM.
Wilkie, rf	McLaren, lg
Wickendoff, rf	Dole, rg
Greenebank, c	Greenebank, c
Utton, rg	Bailey, lf
Ainsworth, lg	Bailey, rf

Peacham second team played a town team from Danville, score 18 to 10 in favor of Danville. The line up:

DANVILLE.	PEACHAM 2nd.
Fisher, rf	Sanderson, H. lg
Smith, lf	Giblin, H. lg
Peck, c	Stevens, c
Barber, rg	McLaren, lf
Lowell, lg	Goss, rf

Prof. and Mrs. Nelson Whitehill are visiting Miss Lydia Strowbridge this week.

Miss Jessie Varnum from Detroit, Mich., is expected this week.

Miss Smith is spending her vacation in West Rutland.

Prin. Chaffee is spending his vacation at his home in Morrisville.

The Christmas tree and children's cantata will be Thursday evening at Academy Hall.

Peter MacQueen spoke here Wednesday evening to a crowded house. Over \$80 were taken. His was the first of a course of lectures to be given for the benefit of the Academy.

Eighteen pounds Sugar \$1.00, Onions 5c, Kerosene Oil 10c, Cream Tartar 30c, Salt Pork 11c, Lard 11c, Soda 3c, Seeded Raisins 10c, T. Shacco 8c, Cattle Salt 50c, Best Prints 5c, at Wells' store, west Danville.

## WELLS RIVER.

Charlie Darling of Marshfield, formerly a pupil in the high school here, who was obliged to leave on account of ill health, came to A. H. Bailey's Friday, remaining over Sunday. His mother, Mrs. Clara Darling, accompanied him.

Rev. J. A. Belanger returned Friday from Boston, where he spent the week.

Miss Nellie J. Rollins of New Britain, Conn., is spending the Christmas season in town.

Mrs. George Wheeler returned Friday from Concord.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Allison have returned from Rosell Park, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Whitelaw were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cochran last week.

Ray Farwell and family have gone to Turner's Falls, Mass., to spend Christmas.

Miss Bernice Baldwin is home from Newton, Mass., Nellie Lee from Burlington, Genevieve Fells from Middlebury, Mary Fellows from West Newbury, Katherine Graves from Barre, Miss Lottie Munsell from Newbury, John Canty from Montreal, Malcolm Buck from Boston, Arthur Graves from Hanover, George Bailey from Worcester, Mass., and George Learned from Hoosic Falls, to spend the holidays.

Schools closed Friday for the holidays and will reopen Jan. 4.

N. A. Hunter has moved to Lynn, Mass., where he will be janitor of a tenement house. His son Will Hunter, occupies one of the tenements.

Miss Myra Butler, who has been attending Columbia College, New York, was the guest Saturday of her sister, Mrs. Willard Goss. In January Miss Butler goes to Europe to spend several months. She is teacher of domestic science in Washington, and is on leave of absence for a year.

Christmas trees will be held in the Congregational church Thursday evening. All are requested to carry articles to put on the trees early. A cantata will be given by the children during the evening.

Rev. J. A. Belanger will deliver his Christmas sermon Sunday morning.

I. M. Ricker of Groton was in town Wednesday to attend Post meeting.

The following have been elected officers of Col. Preston Post, G. A. R.: Commander John H. Symes; S. V. C. James George; J. V. C. Isaac M. Ricker; surgeon, W. H. Goodwin; chap. S. E. Goss; quartermaster, Andrew Atken; O. D. Charles N. Paige; O. G. Albert M. White-law; delegate to Dept. Encampment, W. H. Goodwin, alternate, I. M. Ricker. These with the appointed officers will be installed Jan. 20, at which time the W. R. C. officers will be installed.

At the regular meeting of Col. Preston Corps Wednesday evening a new member was received. After the business session a social with the members of the Post was enjoyed and refreshments served. A committee was appointed in both orders to arrange for a proper observance of Lincoln's birthday anniversary, Feb. 12.

Mrs. Charles Paige, who has been ill for three weeks is gaining slowly.

## SHEFFIELD.

Reports from Montpelier Seminary credit Alfred Simpson of this town as

being "all to the merry" in basket ball. The Seminary coach speaks of him as being "a clean, heady player of unusual swiftness." Simpson also won his foot ball "M" at the Seminary this fall.

## GROTON.

Christmas exercises will be held at both churches Thursday evening.

T. B. Hall was in Wells River Monday. Mrs. Annie Tenney of Tilton, N. H., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dennis.

Mrs. L. S. Blanchard is visiting friends at Bath, N. H., this week.

Rev. A. J. Hough of Montpelier occupied the pulpit at the Methodist church Sunday.

Waldo Glover of Uxbridge, Mass., is spending a few days at home.

The junior class of the Baptist Sunday school were invited to the home of H. M. Ricker for dinner Saturday, it being the fourth birthday of his son, Milton. The little folks were accompanied by their Sunday school teacher, Mrs. Nelson Darling, and all enjoyed a fine time.

H. M. Jackson, who has been spending

some time with his daughter in Boston, has returned home and will spend the winter with his daughter, Mrs. H. C. Glover.

## LYNDON.

Miss Allie Warner went Saturday to Lowell, Mass., to visit her sister, Miss Gertrude Burt, several days.

Mrs. Staples spent several days last week at G. H. Stuart's at St. Johnsbury and returned Saturday accompanied by Miss Julia Stuart.

Prof. James S. Smith of St. Johnsbury came Saturday to visit friends a few days.

Mrs. Wells Quinby went Tuesday to Concord to visit her sister, Mrs. Belden.

Mrs. Anita Cornell and little daughter returned to Haverhill, Mass., last Tuesday.

The Christmas concert at the Congregational church will be held Thursday evening.

The Christmas exercises at the Methodist church will be held Friday evening at 7.30, followed by distribution of presents from a Christmas tree.

## Useful Gifts For The FASTIDIOUS MAN or BOY

Umbrellas \$5, 4, 3, 2, and 1.  
Pajamas \$2.50 and 1.50.  
Bath Robes \$6, 4.50, 3.50.  
Fancy Vests \$1.50 to 5. Manhattan make. Full